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For: HORMONE RECEPTOR FUNCTIONAL
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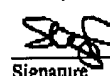
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Responsive to the Office Action mailed November 19, 2002 (Paper No. 15), please consider the following amendments and remarks. This response is timely as it is accompanied by a petition and the appropriate fee to extend the time for response to April 19, 2003 (next USPTO business day April 21, 2003; two-month extension).

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.

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Amendment Transmittal (3 pgs., in dupl. = 6 pgs.);
Petition for Extension of Time (1 pg.);
Response Under 37 CFR 1.116 (11 pgs.).

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☒ Applicants claim small entity status. 37 CFR 1.27.
☒ A Petition for Extension of Time is enclosed.
☒ The fee required for additional claims is calculated below:

	Claims as Amended		Previously Paid For		Extra Claims Present		Rate		Additional Claims Fee
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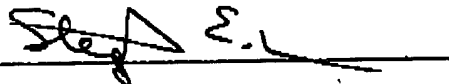
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